

URGENT DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION BILL, 1925

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Mr. MADDEN, from the committee of conference, submitted the following

CONFERENCE REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 11308]

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 11308) making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, and prior fiscal years, to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendment numbered 15.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

Strike out lines 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 of the matter inserted by said amendment the following: "including the same objects and under the same limitations as are prescribed under this head in the act making appropriations for the Interstate Commerce Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925"; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference have not agreed on amendments numbered 7 and 8.

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STATEMENT OF THE MANAGERS ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

The managers on the part of the House at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 11308) making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year 1925, and prior fiscal years, to provide urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year 1925, and for other purposes, submit the following statement explaining the effect of the action agreed on by the conference committee and submitted in the accompanying conference report:

Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, relating to the Senate: Appropriates for items of expense of the Senate in the manner and the amounts proposed by the Senate.

No. 5: Appropriates \$40,000, as proposed by the Senate, for expenses to be incurred by the joint committee of Congress in arranging for the inaugural ceremonies on March 4 next.

Nos. 6 and 9: Appropriates \$15,000, as proposed by the Senate, for expenses of the United States Lexington-Concord Sesquicentennial Commission.

No. 10: Appropriates \$8,200, as proposed by the Senate, for expenses of the surveyor's office, District of Columbia, for making necessary surveys incident to building operations.

Nos. 11, 12, and 13, relating to the Interstate Commerce Commission: Appropriates for expenses of the commission, as proposed by the Senate, as follows: \$27,275 for block signal, train control, and safety appliance systems, \$54,145 for locomotive inspection work, and \$20,000 for printing and binding.

No. 14: Appropriates \$150,000, as proposed by the Senate to enable the Secretary of the Interior to investigate and report to Congress the facts in connection with reclamation projects upon which settlers are unable to pay construction costs, as authorized by subsection K of section 4 of the deficiency act approved December 5, 1924.

No. 15: Strikes out the appropriation of \$200,000, inserted by the Senate, for maintenance, operation, and construction work on the first mesa unit of the Yuma auxiliary reclamation project.

No. 16: Appropriates \$11,250, as proposed by the Senate, for expenses of the International Fisheries Commission authorized by the act of June 7, 1924.

No. 17: Inserts the language proposed by the Senate, in connection with the report required to be made by law of refunds of internal revenue taxes.

No. 18: Appropriates, as proposed by the Senate, for payment of judgments rendered against the United States by United States district courts.

No. 19: Appropriates, as proposed by the Senate, for payment of judgments rendered against the United States by the Court of Claims.

Nos. 20 and 21: Appropriates, as proposed by the Senate, for the payment of claims allowed and certified by the General Accounting Office under existing law.

The committee of conference have not agreed on amendments as follows:

No. 7: Appropriating \$50,000 for expenses of the agricultural conference convened by the President.

No. 8: Appropriating \$50,000 for expenses of the Federal Oil Conservation Board appointed by the President.

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The committee of conference have agreed on amendments

to the bill appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the agricultural

conference convened by the President.

Section 8. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the Federal

Conservation Board appointed by the President.

Section 9. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Interior.

Section 10. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Navy.

Section 11. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Army.

Section 12. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Treasury.

Section 13. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the State.

Section 14. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Justice.

Section 15. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Education.

Section 16. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Health.

Section 17. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Labor.

Section 18. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Agriculture.

Section 19. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the Commerce.

Section 20. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the

Department of the War.

Section 21. Appropriating \$250,000 for expenses of the